

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)  
WITHOUT FILING FEE OR EXECUTED INVENTOR'S OATH/DECLARATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

This is a request for filing a new PATENT APPLICATION under Rule 53(b) entitled:

**A MULTI-WAVELENGTH/MULTI-CHANNEL SYSTEM**

without a filing fee and/or without an executed inventor's oath/declaration.

This application is made by the below identified inventor(s). Attached hereto are the following papers:

- ☒ **An abstract together with**  
**14 pages of specification and claims including**  
**15 numbered claims and also attached are**  
**5 sheets of accompanying drawings.**

☐ This application is based on the following prior foreign application(s):

Application No.

Country

Filing Date

respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom.

☒ **This application is based on the following prior provisional application:**

Application No.

Filing Date

60/198,654

April 20, 2000

respectively, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application, and priority is hereby claimed therefrom.

☐ Certified copy/ies of foreign applications attached.

☐ This application is a ☐ continuation/☐ division/☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. , filed

☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application is a ☐ continuation/☐ division/☐ continuation-in-part of application Serial No. , filed , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--

☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This is a continuation of PCT application No. , filed , the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--

☒ **Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/198,654, filed April 20, 2000, the entire content of which is hereby incorporated by reference in this application.--**

☐ Preliminary amendment to claims (attached hereto), to be entered before calculation of the fee.

Also attached: ☐ Information Disclosure Statement ; ☐ Non-Publication Request; ☐ Other:

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FOOTNOTES